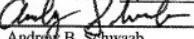


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Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action of June 18, 2007, please enter the amendments set forth below and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.